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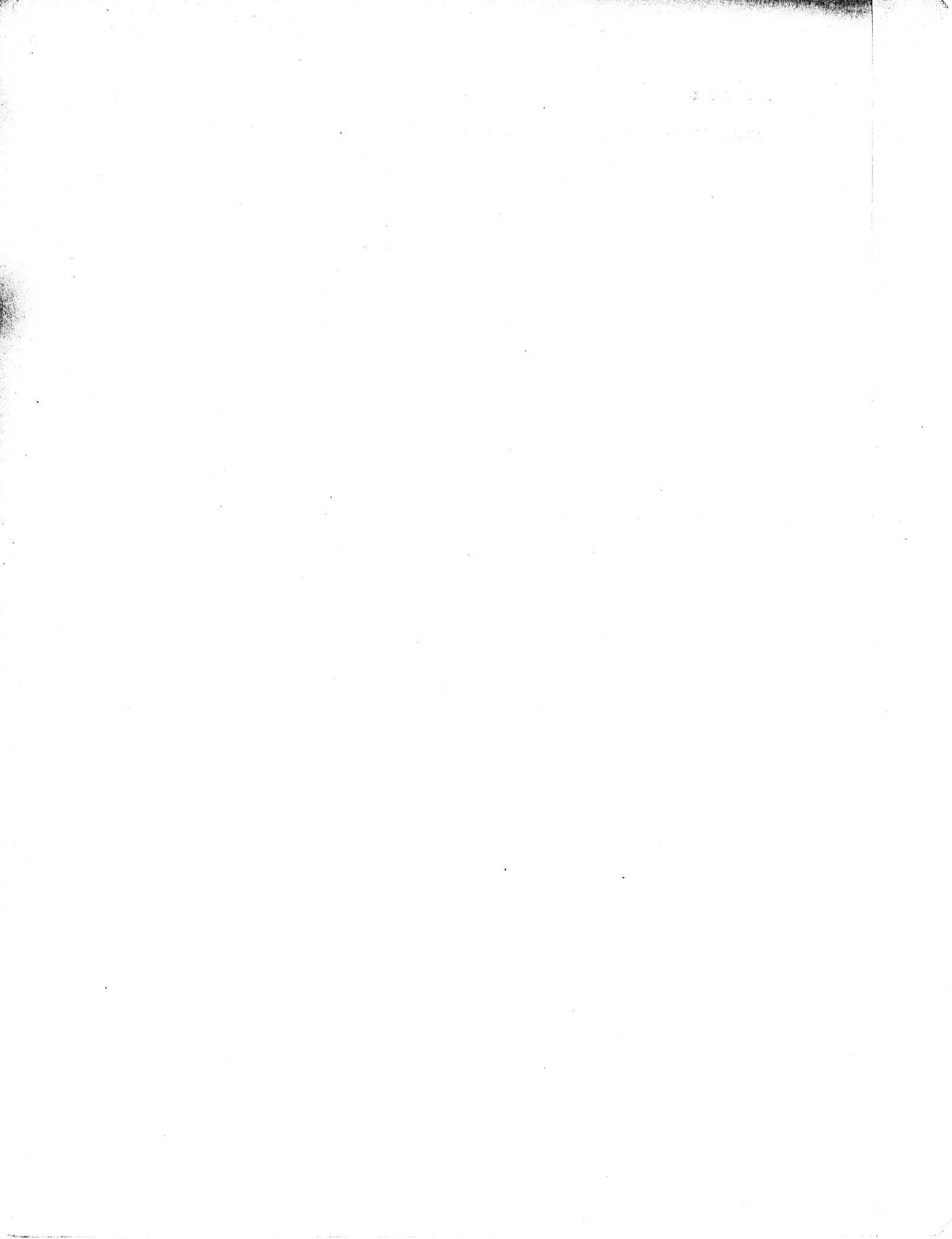
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**GRAY, CARE**

Born at Houlton, Maine, July 12, 1895.



C O P Y

June 20, 1930

Mr. Carl Gray  
B. F. Sturtevant Company  
Hyde Park, Massachusetts

My dear Mr. Gray:-

I have just read a newspaper item which refers to you as "a former Houlton boy." I hope that that means that you are a native of this state and that we can number you among our Maine authors. I should like to mention "The Eighth Wonder," and the recognition which it has received from the Smithsonian Institute, in the next issue of our Library Bulletin. Will you please send us biographical data about yourself?

Very truly yours,

MAINE STATE LIBRARY

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C O P Y

October 14, 1930

Mr. Carl Gray  
B. F. Sturtevant Company  
Hyde Park, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Gray; -

In looking over my correspondence with Maine authors I find that I have not yet heard from you in answer to my inquiry whether or not you are a native of Maine. Perhaps you were born in some other state, and do not wish to disappoint me by telling me so. I am still hoping that we may claim you as a Maine author and that I shall receive from you biographical data so that I can have a brief note about your book "The Eighth Wonder," in the next issue of our Library Bulletin.

Very truly yours,

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HYDE PARK, BOSTON, MASS.

November 5, 1930

SUBJECT

Miss M. C. Fuller,  
Maine State Library,  
Augusta, Maine.

Dear Miss Fuller:

I am almost ashamed to write this letter to you, and will not start offering apologies, because they are certainly out of turn at the present time.

It was my good intention to stop off at Augusta on my way to northern Maine this summer, and give you the story verbally, but my plans were changed, and I happened to go through your city on a Sunday, and therefore lost out.

I was born in Houlton, Maine, and not being a woman can tell you the date. It was July 12, 1895. I attended Houlton Grammar School and graduated from Houlton High School in June 1913.

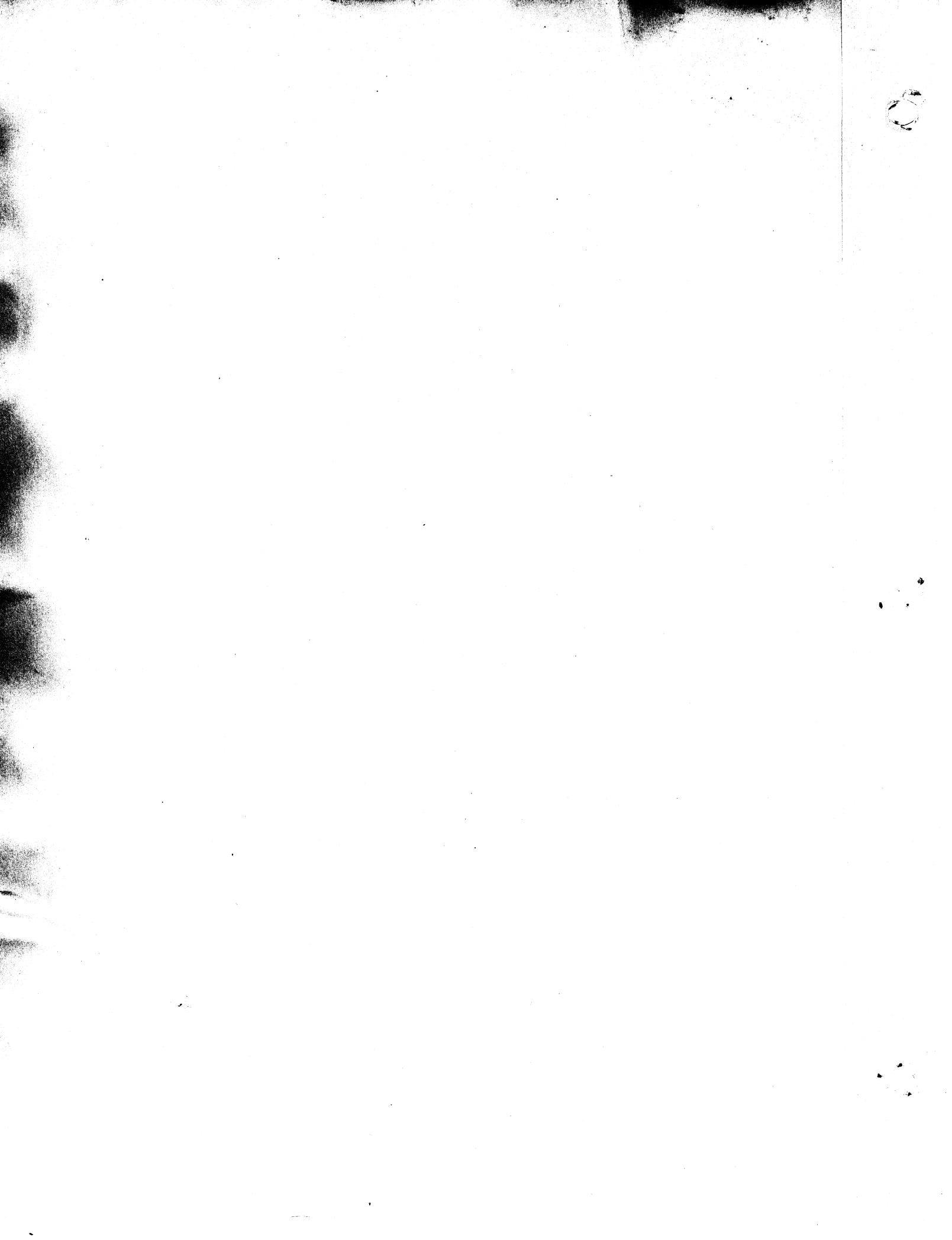
My next scholastic training was the the Mass. College of Pharmacy, which I attended in 1915, 1916, and 1917.

In June 1917 I joined the U.S. Army with the 77th Division, training at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., and attached to the base hospital at Camp Upton, Long Island.

My other scholastic training consists of two years at Boston University and one year at the Mass. Institute of Technology.

After the war, I came to work for the B. F. Sturtevant Company, and have been employed by them since August 1920 in the capacity of Assistant Advertising Manager, Sales Engineer, Advertising Manager, and now in Charge of Merchandising. Each one of these positions lasted about three years, excepting the last one which has only been of about a year's duration.

If there is any further data that you may care to have, please let me know, and I promise not to be so slow in giving it to you.



I certainly appreciate your interest in my behalf, and  
thank you very kindly for getting in touch with me.

Very truly yours,

B. F. STURTEVANT COMPANY

By

*Carl C. Gray*

In Charge of Merchandising

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HYDE PARK, BOSTON, MASS.

December 17, 1930

SUBJECT

Miss M. C. Fuller,  
Maine State Library,  
Augusta, Maine.

Dear Miss Fuller:

Mr. Gray has asked me to acknowledge your letter of December 11 regarding the publication of The Eighth Wonder.

This book was published in November 1927, by the University Press of Cambridge, Mass.

Very truly yours,

B. F. STURTEVANT COMPANY

By *Florence Simes*  
Secretary to Mr. Gray

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